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ANOTHER UNPROVOKED KILLING IN BREATHITT COUNTY

Matt Crawford Called To His Door Tuesday Night And Shot Seven
Times By Unknown Assassins

(Special to The News.)

JACKSON, Ky., Oct. 19.—Matt Crawford, a prominent young man living on the river about two miles above this city was called to his door at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning by an unknown party or parties and shot seven times, being killed instantly.

Mr. Crawford was about 30 years of age and was engaged in distilling business. He is the son of Mr. Steve Crawford, of Athol, and a nephew of the late Judge Hargis.

No reason is known for the killing. Crawford had no known enemies. He was popular and wealthy and had never been engaged in any of the feuds of the county. The news reached here early in the morning and Captain T. G. Millikin of Lexington, was telegraphed to bring his bloodhounds and every effort will be made

to capture the guilty party or parties.

The bloodhounds of Captain Millikin of Lexington passed through this city at the 8 o'clock L and E train Wednesday morning on their way to Jackson. A telegraph message was received by Mr. Millikin Tuesday morning stating that Matt Crawford, a prominent young man of Jackson, had been called to the door by an unknown party or parties and instantly killed Wednesday morning.

Mr. Sam Jett of this city on hearing of this killing immediately telephoned to the Breathitt News to sell all his holdings in Breathitt county. Mr. Jett stated that he did not propose to do business where life was uncertain as in Breathitt. Mr. Jett has a general store at Oakdale, a distillery, a goat ranch and is interested in other enterprises.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. M'CORD

Wife of Mr. John McCord Expired
Monday Night From Attack of
Acute Indigestion.

Mrs. John McCord died suddenly Tuesday night of acute indigestion. Mrs. McCord had been complaining for the past few weeks but her condition was not thought to be serious. Tuesday night she was sitting on the front porch of her residence on Hickman street when she was taken suddenly ill.

Dr. D. H. McKinley who was passing the home at the time, was called in and with Dr. B. F. Johnson worked with her until nearly 10 o'clock when she expired.

Mrs. McCord was in her 71st year. Before her marriage she was Miss Lydia Lisle of this county, and was the last one of this family, her brother, Mr. Brack Lisle having died only a few weeks since. Besides her husband she is survived by three sons, Mr. Woodson McCord, Chief of Police of this city, Mr. Charles McCord and Mr. J. L. McCord. The funeral services will be held at the grave in the Winchester cemetery Thursday, October 20, at 10 o'clock. Services by Rev. Peoples and Rev. Cumming.

Following are the pall-bearers: J. B. Carroll, C. B. Stewart, N. A. Powell, J. W. Povner, R. O. Fitch and F. H. Jackson.

BRICK WORK ON OLIVER BLOCK

Was Begun This Week—Building
Will Be Only One Story at the
Present Time.

The brick work on the Oliver building on North Main street was begun this week. The building is being erected on the site of the old stone shop which stood there for nearly a century. The building will only be run up on story. It is the intention of Mr. Oliver to add other stories later on.

TOBACCO PRICES STILL LOWER

Offerings on the Lexington Market
in Comparison With Last Week
Are Off \$1 a Hundred.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 19.—Reactions from former sales constituents of the offering at Tuesday's auction of 1909 pooled tobacco by the Burley Tobacco Society. The hogheads are sold singly by number. The largest buyers of the day were Spill-

view of the situation, however. He said again that he did not feel that the present campaign in New York would have a dominant effect upon the Presidential campaign in 1912. It is understood that Barnard believes President Taft will be re-nominated in 1912.

COLONEL NOT TO MEET TAFT.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Oct. 19.—It was said for Colonel Roosevelt at Sagamore Hill that he will not go to New York Wednesday nor will President Taft come to Oyster Bay.

This apparently disposes of the rumor current in New York that there was to be a meeting.

WALKER SCORES ROOSEVELT.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 19.—Without mentioning the name of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, but making it obvious that it was he of whom he was speaking, John Brisben Walker, former editor of the Cosmopolitan Magazine, in an address Tuesday night before the Knife and Fork Club made a sharp attack on the former President.

Mr. Walker represented Colonel Roosevelt as "a supreme demagogue; the quintessence of fake; one equipped with an unblushing effrontery capable of putting into the Ananias Club every man or woman, who could analyze his attempted deception; a practical politician, who has learned the art of being at things to all men, who can be an enthusiastic progressive in Kansas and Iowa and write an endorsement of the Aldrich tariff in a New York platform."

Compared with last week the market was off about one dollar a hundred. There were no rejections Tuesday.

May 2, Ellis, who seemed 62.

The highest price was \$16.25 and the lowest \$7.50. The average for 177 hogheads sold was \$11.65 a hundred. The sale will be resumed Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, when straight grades will be offered.

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The following comparison with last week's prices shows the slump.

	Tuesday	Friday
B-4	\$11.10	\$12.54
C-4	12.10	12.80
C-5	11.20	12.25
C-3	15	15.65
D-2	15.75	16.50

The quality was superior to that of last week, all offerings having been regraded.

The bulk of that sold was of the color grades, and the demand is ordinarily active.

NEW FACTORY AT CLAY CITY

Mr. George Tomlinson, of Winches-
ter, Will Complete Plant in About
Ten Days.

Mr. George Tomlinson who was un-
til recently in the lumber business in this city has about completed a tobacco hoghead factory at Clay City and will begin operation in about ten days.

The factory and mill will be one of the best in the State, having a capacity of 350 hogheads per day. The output of the factory has already been contracted for.

After the factory is well started Mr. Tomlinson will give very little of his time to the management as he has other interests that will consume most of his time.

BEATTYVILLE, Ky., Oct. 19.—Hon. John W. Langley spoke here Tuesday to a small sized crowd not exceeding 100. The lack of old-time enthusiasm shown must have been painful to him, as he did not receive a single ripple of applause during the course of his remarks. He made a vain appeal for the Democratic vote, telling the Democrats he had worked alike for them and own party and had sent one as many garden seed as the other. He seemed to think he had the Republican vote solid behind him, but there probably has never been so much disaffection in the party as now.

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THE CHINESE PARLIAMENT.

The recent opening of the Chinese National Assembly must be regarded as on the whole the most significant step thus far taken in the elaborate processes of constitutional development in that empire. At the time the body was commonly spoken of as a senate, but that was incorrect and misleading. It is no more a senate than it is a house of representatives. It is neither of these, and yet in a measure it partakes of the nature of each of them, and it contains confessedly and purposely the germs and foundations of both. It is described by the government as the foundation of a parliament and is officially named the National Assembly. It was ordered into existence by an edict of September 20, 1907, which set forth that in a constitutional government a bicameral parliament was the real foundation of executive power, that China was not yet ready for such a body, but that there should be established a preliminary "court to assist the government" known as the National Assembly.

This body, which is now in active existence, consists partly of noblemen and class representatives, who will in time form the nucleus of a senate, and partly of representatives of the provincial assemblies, who will form the basis of a house of representatives. There are exactly one hundred of each of these two classes, though the former class is subdivided into seven sections, of which only four, with forty-eight members, belong to the hereditary nobility, the fifty-two members of the other three sections being commoners chosen for merit. The first hundred are appointed by the Emperor and the second by the provincial governors, so that there is practically no popular representation, which will, of course, come later, when this assembly gives way to the real parliament of two houses for which it is preparation. The present body is authorized to discuss and to adopt resolutions concerning the national revenue and expenditure, taxation, public debts, new legal codes and various other topics, but none of its actions



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can be effective without the imperial assent, and it is really intended to be a training school for future parliaments rather than a true legislative body.

What is most significant, however, is the fact that the formation and conduct of this body, and also the popular desire for a real parliament have so strongly and favorably impressed the Regent that he has decided to shorten the period at first allotted to probation for constitutional government and to establish a fully developed and competent parliament within three years. This is we believe, the first change which has been made in the time table of constitutional development as originally published; and it is notably encouraging that it is not only a change for expedition but also is made not capriciously nor in compliance with mere clamor, but upon the reassuring basis of actual achievements and of demonstrated fitness for more rapid progress.

SUCCESS FORECASTS.

Success Magazine favors The News with advanced copies of its preliminary forecast of the Congressional election of 1910. The forecast is usually strikingly accurate. It has 25,000 or 30,000 life members scattered all over the United States and asks them for their opinion from which it makes up its forecast. In the last presidential election it forecast successfully the electoral vote of every State. Its opinion is therefore entitled to great weight. It gives the Democrats 168 districts, the Republicans 160, with a total probably a tie, with thirteen doubtful districts. In Kentucky it places both the Ninth and Tenth districts

PERRYGRAPHS.

Supply and demand control prices. To get better prices raise less.

The desire to fish is a disease. There is no remedy for it except to go fishing.

It is not in good taste after a thing has happened that you have predicted to say, "I told you so."

When a young man gets drunk usually he makes a fool of himself and takes delight in letting everybody know that he is a fool.

The experience of many cities over the census returns renders other towns indifferent about getting the returns.

All of the candidates are winners until after the election.

Some people are never satisfied with anything and Mr. Bryan is one of them.

When you see a man making a plum fool of himself over an election ask him what he expects.

A movement is on foot to call an extra session of the Legislature to

If You Knew
As Much

about STEIN-BLOCH SMART CLOTHES as we do there would be small use in our boasting them as we do. All we ask is just one chance to show you how and where they are superior to any other make. A standing order with their makers brings to us every new idea just as soon as it is out of the tailor shop. We are able to show to our customers the latest things in the world's styles the minute they are reported from London and New York.

Try One For Your Fall Suit

ALLAN & MURPHY

MARKETS

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—WHEAT—Improved no wheat crop prospects in both Russia and the Argentine yesterday as a result of rains added to the heaviness in the situation and caused the trade to disregard smaller world's shipments and higher Liverpool cables. As May approached one dollar late in the day there was extensive covering by some big houses. Profit taking on short lines is an easy matter, and the more of it there is done the weaker the technical position of the market becomes. Advices indicate that the wheat trade in this country is still considerably out of line for natural export sales and everything indicates that a level where foreigners will buy our wheat is what the trade must reach before the bear market is checked.

Tobacco never benefitted the consumer. It, upon the whole, has not been a good thing for our blue grass country. Why not cut it out?

COLUMBUS STREET CAR MEN
LOSE AND CALL OFF STRIKE

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 19.—The street car men's union Tuesday night called off the strike which has been in progress since July 24. The men received no concessions from the company and those who deserted to the strikers have been accepted only for extra runs.

DRINK

Roxakola
More Than Wet

D. B. HAMPTON
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Cashier
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Asst. Cashier

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F FARMS FOR SALE

FARM NO. 1.—50 acres, 7 1/2 miles from Winchester, two story frame dwelling, with 6 rooms, 2 porches, good stable, holds 4 aers of tobacco. Ice house and all other outbuildings, large young orchard in full bearing. Fencing good. Divided into 4 lots, all well watered. All in grass except 8 or 10 acres. Close to good school. Price \$6,000.

FARM NO. 2.—58 acres 6 1/2 miles from Winchester on good pike. Has a two-story frame dwelling of 8 rooms, 2 halls, 2 porches in good condition. Barn holds 4 aers of tobacco. Ice house, chicken house, coal house, meat house, corn crib, hog houses and other out buildings. Divided into 4 tracts, each one being well watered and every fence in first class condition. Has large young orchard in full bearing. Close to good school and churches and in less than a quarter of a mile from railroad station. Will all raise good tobacco. A bargain at \$8,000.

FARM NO. 3.—90 acres, 6 1/2 miles from Winchester, on good pike. Has two-story frame dwelling of 7 rooms, 2 porches, stock barn, 5-acre tobacco barn, good cellar and all outbuildings, all in good condition, divided in 5 tracts, all well watered and fenced. About 20 acres in cultivation, balance in grass. Within

one-half mile of good school, church, store and post office and blacksmith shop. Price \$6,000.

FARM NO. 4.—60 acres 7 miles from Winchester one-quarter mile from railroad station, has two-story frame dwelling of 6 rooms, new stock barn, 4-acre tobacco barn, all necessary outbuildings. Well watered with pool, wells, and creeks. All outside fencing good. About 15 acres in cultivation, balance in grass. Price \$6,000.

FARM NO. 5.—110 acres, 7 miles from Winchester, two-story frame dwelling with 7 rooms, 6-acre tobacco barn. All necessary outbuildings. Small tenant house. Well fenced and watered. Price \$75 per acre.

FARM NO. 6.—105 acres, 5 miles from Winchester on good pike. Good dwelling of 7 or 8 rooms. All necessary outbuildings, 12-acre tobacco barn and tenant house. Well fenced and watered. Plenty of tobacco land. Price \$130 per acre.

FARM NO. 7.—345 acres, 3 miles from Winchester, on good pike. Has two five-room dwellings, one 10-acre tobacco barn, plenty tobacco land. Nearly all in grass. Price \$50 per acre.

FARM NO. 8.—26 acres, 3 1/2 miles from Winchester on good pike. Has new 6-room dwelling, barn and outbuildings. Price \$3,500.

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*** SOCIETY *****Mrs. Eubank Entertains.**

Mrs. W. Z. Eubank entertained the Foreign and Ladies' Home Missionary Societies Tuesday with a dining. The ladies were met at Indian Fields with two hay wagons and were taken to Oil Springs the beautiful home of Mrs. Eubank.

The morning was spent in devotional exercises and at 12 o'clock dinner was served in the large dining room. The ladies presented Mrs. Eubank with a beautiful silver baking dish.

Those present were: Mesdames Byrd Hodges, Parker Dudley, Chas. Aitersall, Wood, Chas. Finell, Gilbert Haggard, Williams, Baumeum, Kohlhass, John Oden, Jim Curtis, R. O. Venable, Geo. Hon, Curry, John Keyes, Chris Brown, Wright, Tigert, H. V. Thompson and daughter, Will Garner, Labe Cockrell, Jim Hise, Cantler, Mrs. Ella Rounsvall and Mrs. Peoples. Misses Margaret French, Clara and Lucy Benton, Nannie Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler and daughter Elizabeth.

Six O'Clock Dinner.

Mrs. R. D. Ramsey was hostess for a six o'clock dinner on Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powell and Miss Ruth Beal who has just returned from abroad. The occasion was much enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Ramsey's guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powell, Miss Beal and Mr. J. Rupard, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Haas, Mr. O. F. Young and Mr. C. H. Hains.

Order of Eastern Star.

The Winchester Chapter, order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Fraternity Building Friday evening at 7 o'clock sharp to elect delegates to the Grand Chapter that meets at Frankfort next week. Full attendance is requested.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hardwick and children and Miss Gertrude Grigsby visited in Lexington the past week.

Mrs. A. N. Warnecke of Lexington, is visiting Mrs. W. M. Searcy.

Prof. and Mrs. Bosley and Mrs. David Benton, composed an auto party which attended the Talbot-Gaitkill wedding at Austerlitz.

Miss Grace Phillips has accepted a position with the Kress store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Douglass and little daughter, Sarah Feeney, have gone to housekeeping in the residence owned by Mrs. D. W. Bayless, on Fitch avenue.

Miss Myrtle Todd, of the county, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Miss Winifred Hise spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. John R. Bush in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Haggard, of Flanagan street, will leave Tuesday

to spend the winter in the South. Miss Daisy Day, of Hazel Green, and Miss Mary Bruce Jones, of Mt. Sterling, are charming guests of Miss Golden Day.

Mr. Clay Haggard left Tuesday for Oklahoma.

Mrs. J. J. Gibson, of Athens, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter.

Miss Mary Hise, of Pilot View, visited Miss Mary Curry recently.

Miss Ruth Breeding, of Beattyville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Finley Flannery.

Mrs. Joe Tribble will leave shortly to spend the winter in the South.

Mrs. Geppie Simpson attended the Mission meeting at Oil Springs, Tuesday.

Mr. C. H. Bowen is in Louisville to attend the State Opticians' Association, and the Grand Lodge of Masons.

Mrs. Bea Meyers spent Tuesday in Mt. Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hadden have returned from a visit in Louisville.

Mr. Jeff Ratliff continues quite ill.

Mrs. O. J. Chandler, Mrs. George Hon, Mrs. Byrd Hodges, Mrs. B. A. Crutcher, Mrs. Ed. Cantler, Mrs. John J. Tigert and Mrs. J. N. Hise attended the meeting of the Home and Foreign Missionary Societies at Oil Springs Tuesday.

Mr. Jeff Ratliff has returned from Sharp-shoot, where she has been at the bedside of her brother, who has been quite ill.

Miss Ed. Field left Monday to accept a position as pianist for a motion picture theatre in Georgetown.

Miss Carrie Belcher, of Ford, visited friends in Winchester, Tuesday.

Dr. Broome Ishmael and Mrs. J. W. Ishmael of this city and Mrs. Harry Smith, of Cincinnati, motored to Lexington Sunday.

Mr. W. A. Young has returned to Washington, D. C., after being called here by the death of his father, Mr. W. H. Young.

Mr. Jim Bowen and Dr. J. C. Vaughn are attending the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons, in Louisville.

Mr. Jess Batson, of Richmond, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. E. M. Batson.

Mrs. Z. T. Elkin will leave this week to spend the winter in Lexington with relatives.

Mrs. Gilbert Haggard visited in Lexington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Haggard are visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Miss Nancy Bridgeford, of Frankfort, is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Ida Witt is ill at her home on French avenue.

Miss Eva Jones is ill of tonsillitis at her home on Georgia street.

Miss Winifred Hise will leave

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shortly to take a teacher's course at the Eastern Kentucky Normal school at Richmond.

Mrs. J. S. Napier, of Paris, and three children, are visiting her sister, Mrs. W. M. Horine, of 318 North Main street.

Mrs. C. B. Finnell arrived from Virginia to spend a few days before going South with her husband, Mr. C. B. Finnell who will arrive Thursday evening.

Mrs. T. C. Hardesty arrived Thursday from Cincinnati for a short visit.

Notice to Taxpayers

You have but a few more days before the penalty is added. Come and avoid the rush. Under the present tax law I am compelled to collect all of the taxes by December 1st.

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Now he implores the doctor to save him. Then he begs to be killed and put out of pain. The extremities become icy. The pulse is small, feeble and frequent, and the breathing is labored, embarrassed and painful because of abdominal tenderness. The surface of the body becomes dark and of that bluish color that medical men call cyanosis. Violent cramps add their torture, exhaustion becomes collapse, convulsions or coma ensues, and death ends the agony. The torture lasts sometimes from five to twenty hours.

In some cases these symptoms occur, but in a modified form, and the doctor will apparently get the better of the disease. The remission will be but for a day or two. Then the abdomen will swell, and icy coldness will pervade the frame. Shivering will become pronounced trembling, then cramps, convulsions and death.

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DODGE.

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Mrs. Julia Diehr and sister, Miss Maggie Watts visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Hazel Nothent, of Winchester, Sunday.

Died on the 16th of crop the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Pitt Piersall. The heartbroken parents have our heartfelt sympathy.

Mrs. Tom Lowry, of Wades Mill, spent her sister, Mrs. Ira Wills, the past week.

Little Sally Ellen Wils is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mastin visited relatives near Pilot View Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Combs visited the former's sister Mrs. Bettie Wills recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo Jones and two children attended the trot at Lexington Wednesday.

Mr. Ben Quisenberry was the pleasant guest of relatives and friends in Richmond recently.

FOX.

Clyde Elkin visited his uncle, Dillard Hughes at Kiddville last week.

Mrs. Clay Hoskin, of Indian Fields spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Thomson.

Cliff Boone who has been in Clin-

ton, Ill., for the past year returned last week, he says, to spend the balance of his life in Kentucky.

Charles Stewart, of Winchester, was in this vicinity Monday buying tobacco and bought a number of crops for from 10½ to 12½ cents.

Mr. Jeff Everman went Sunday to West Bend to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Everman.

Mr. John Pearsall of Fayette County, is in this neighborhood visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Pearsall is one of the old time gentlemen that one likes to meet.

James Poar has been beyond Winchester the past week cutting coconuts and drilling in whets for Mr. Sam Jett.

We congratulate Squire Ed. Kissinger and his most estimable wife on their re-election for the sixth year as keeper of the county farm.

BLOOMINGDALE.

Mr. James Abner sold to Mr. Tom Osborne one aged mare for \$35. John Gamboe and William Adams attended court at Mt. Sterling Monday.

John Rainey sold to Winchester parties 12 fat shoats for 8½ cents per pound.

Mr. John Gamboe and wife attended the burial of little Nellie Cooper, Sunday at the Brock graveyard.

Mrs. Maggie Kerr, William Adams

and family aunt Nancy Adams and Miss Alma Powell visited Mr. John Gamboe's family Wednesday.

Mr. Tom Adams and Mrs. Josie Haggard and daughter, Miss Kate were the pleasant guests of Mr. John Gamboe's family Thursday.

LITTLE STONER.

Mrs. Nannie McKinney and Mr. Serena Bradley spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. T. Ecton.

Mrs. Ray Burgher and little daughter, Eunice and Mrs. John Hiley, were the pleasant guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Jim Breeze in Winchester last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Hatty Crow, of Hardwick Creek is visiting relatives at this place this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Burgher and son, Shirley, returned home Monday from a week's visit with relatives and friends at Clay City.

Mrs. O. P. Wills went to Thompson Station Friday to be present at the birthday celebration of her daughter, Mrs. James Sumpter, it being her 19th birthday. Quite a number of other relatives of the popular young couple were present and delightful dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Ecton had as their guests last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Ramsey and son Johnnie K., and sister, Miss Bettie Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tanner, of Win-

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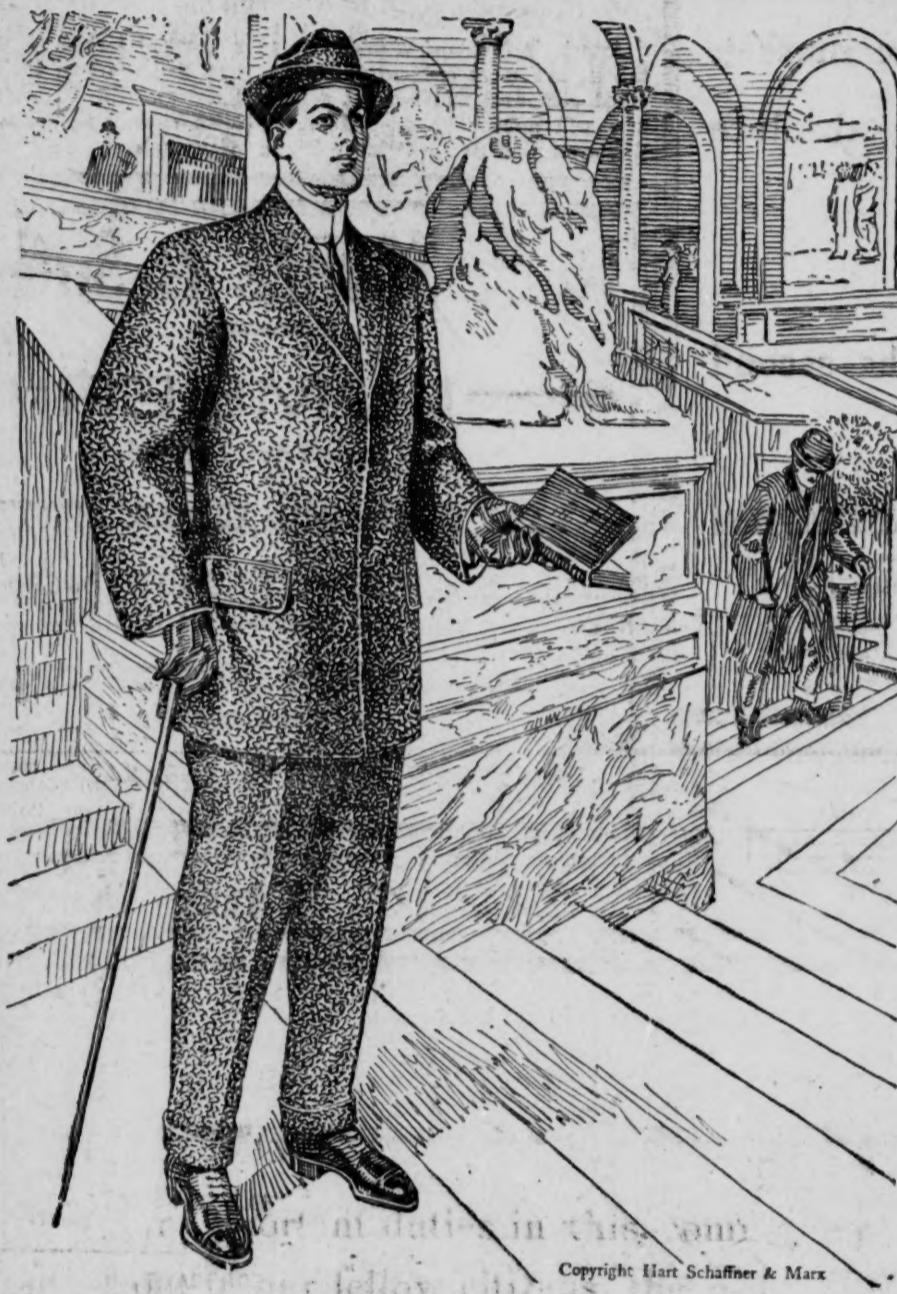
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Mr. P. A. Haggard sold a calf and some lambs to Mr. Jas. Reese at 4 and 5 cents a pound.

Mr. Jas. Chisum bought a calf of Mr. Richard Thompson for \$12 and one of W. C. Gaines for \$20.

Mr. Theo Thompson, wife and children visited the former's parents, recently.

Misses Sadie and Ollie Thomas, of Ruckerville, were pleasant guests of Mollie and Lena Gravett Saturday night.

Loula and Patsy Woosley spent Sunday with Mr. Wm. Osborne and family.

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Mrs. Heskie Pharis continues ill. Mrs. Corn Rucker is on the sick list.

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ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Oct. 19.—Stricken with paralysis last Saturday David Rankin, operator of the largest farm in the world, died at Tarkio, Mo., at 4 p. m. Tuesday.

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PILOT VIEW.

Several from this neighborhood attended the funeral of Mr. Lou Stone Sunday at White Hall church.

Mrs. J. S. Dawson and family were the guests of Mr. S. A. Niblock Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Rhodes Embank sold some hog to Mr. Floyd Clay. Price 8 1-3 cents per pound.

Miss Nellie Jones, of Escondida, has returned home after a short visit at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Turley, of Wades Mill were the guests of Mr. Ned Crow from Saturday until Monday. Several from this place attended Mt. Sterling court Monday.

Mr. Charley Jones is quite ill of typhoid fever at this writing.

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Daily Daily

8 a.m. 10 a.m.

No. 10—Stanford-Maysville local

7. Lexington 2:25 7:55 connecting at Paris for Cincinnati due at 7:15, leaves at 7:22 a.m.

Winchester 3:05 8:26 No. 38—Knoxville-Cincinnati local arrives 2:48; departs 2:53 p.m.

L. & E. Junction 3:20 8:26 No. 32—Jacksonville-Cincinnati arrives 5:58 p.m.

Stanton 3:58 9:49 All are daily, except Nos. 9 and 10, which are daily except Sunday.

Clay City 4:30 9:49

Campbell Junction 4:30 9:38

Natural Bridge 4:35 9:43

Torrent 4:47 9:56

Beattyville June 5:10 10:17

O. & K. Junction 6:05 11:15

Westbound Daily Daily

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No. 22, Daily 12:10 p.m.

No. 28, Daily Ex. Sun. 6:30 p.m.

No. 24, Daily 9:10 p.m.

Westbound

No. 27, Daily, Ex. Sun. 7:22 a.m.

No. 21, Daily 6:58 a.m.

No. 25, Daily Ex. Sun. 2:50 p.m.

No. 23, Daily 4:15 p.m.

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COUNTY COURT DAYS.

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Anderson, Lawrenceburg, 3rd Monday.

Bath, Owingsville, 2nd Monday.

Bourbon, Paris, 1st Monday.

Boyle, Danville, 3rd Monday.

Breathitt, Jackson, 4th Monday.

Clark, Winchester, 4th Monday.

Estill, Irvine, 3rd Monday.

Fayette, Lexington, 2nd Monday.

Fleming, Flemingsburg, 4th Monday.

Franklin, Frankfort, 1st Monday.

Garrard, Lancaster, 4th Monday.

Grant, Williamstown, 2nd Monday.

Harrison, Cynthiana, 4th Monday.

Jessamine, Nicholasville, 3rd Monday.

Niebolas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday.

Owen, Owenton, 4th Monday.

Pendleton, Falmouth, 1st Monday.

Powell, Stanton, 1st Monday.

Scott, Georgetown, 3rd Monday.

Shelby, Shelbyville, 2nd Monday.

Woodford, Versailles, 4th Monday.

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3. Were I a bird, love, Swift - ly I'd home-ward fly, No Fal - con

2. Blau is das Blüm - e - lein, das heisst Ver - giss - nicht - mein. Das Blüm - lein

3. Wär' ich ein Vog - e - lein, Wollt' ich bald bei dir sein. Scheu' Falk und

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8-22-1t.

FOR SALE—Northern seed rye, J. R. Martin Coal and Supply Company.

9-7-1t.

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FOR RENT—Two rooms at 221 College street; also 25 pounds of feathers for sale.

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10-7-6t.-a.m.d.

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10-10-1t.

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FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. Apply Miss Mary White, 10 Haggard street.

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FOR SALE—Five-months-old Rose Comb White Leghorn cockerels, Mr. Chas. J. Scott, East Tenn. 'phone 149; Home 'phone 610.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—House with 8 rooms; piped for water and gas and has all improvements. T. L. Todd, 333 E. Broadway, E. T. phone 214.

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On the foreshore of the Arabian coast in the strait of Bab-el-Mandeb at the southern entrance to the Red sea, stands a large white house concerning which the travelers to the far east may hear a curious story. In the middle of the nineteenth century, when M. de Lesseps after many difficulties had successfully floated the Suez Canal company, the governor of the British port of Aden, about 100 miles distant, was surprised one morning by the visit of a French squadron of very unusual size for that part of the orient, which, having encountered a terrible storm off Sokotra, had put in for repairs.

In the mind of the governor curiosity was at once aroused as to the destination of so large a command, a curiosity which increased as he found it impossible to extract any further information from the French admiral or his officers beyond the statement that they were upon an ordinary cruise, an explanation which the former was not the least inclined to believe.

Firm in the belief, therefore, that some political move of great importance was afoot, if not afoot, the governor, in order first of all to gain time, gave orders to go very tortoise-like on the repairs and then set to work to take the Frenchmen off their guard by giving a succession of such entertainments as both his slender means and the awful barrenness of the place would afford.

But, though at the end of two weeks the French and British officers had got upon the best of terms, the immediate destination of the French squadron remained as much of a mystery to the governor of Aden as before, and in spite of all possible delay the repairs were nearly completed.

Now, it happened that the wife of the governor possessed an Irish maid, who had been receiving attentions from one of the French petty officers—attentions which the girl did not regard seriously. It occurred to the governor that by such means something might be learned of his unexpected visitor's plans, and a private conversation between the governor's wife and her maid resulted in another between the latter and her French admirer, by which it was discovered that Perim Island was the objective point.

At this information the governor opened his eyes wide indeed, for, if the Suez canal were cut through, Perim, as commanding the southern entrance to the Red sea, in the middle of the strait of Bab-el-Mandeb, would be a place of great strategic importance, over which, without doubt, it was the intention of the French admiral to hoist the tricolor.

Secretly giving orders, therefore, for a gunboat to immediately embark a detachment of soldiers and steal away in the night for Perim Island, the governor then announced a farewell banquet and ball for the day but one following, a final act of courtesy with which the French admiral would willingly have dispensed, for he was anxious to sail, but which he could not well refuse on account of the use he had made of the British supplies and machinery at Aden.

So the dinner and party in due course came off, the governor being in high spirits, because in the meantime he had received the news of the occupation of Perim, which under the circumstances would surely be followed by the longed for promotion, and the French admiral was equally happy, for he hoped on the morrow to add the same important little speck of land to the dominion of his own country, thereby covering his breast with the stars and himself with maritime glory.

Next day, after an interchange of cordial farewells, the French squadron sailed away to an apparently unknown destination, until, when clear of the land, the course was laid full speed direct for Perim Island.

Then what were the dismay and disappointment of the French admiral and his officers when, on coming in sight of their destination, they beheld the British flag flying and a company of soldiers drawn up to give them a proper salute. It is said the French admiral was so mortified at being thus outwitted that he first flung his cocked hat overboard and then followed it himself into the sea.

Be this as it may, as Perim was clearly already occupied by the British, the only counter move which the French could make was to take possession of a strip of the foreshore on the opposite Arabian coast, where they built the fortified white house in question, but as the place was entirely at the mercy of the guns on Perim Island it was shortly abandoned, to remain to this day as a monument of a French admiral's undoing—Exchange.

In Honor of Minerva.

The most notable festival at Athens was in honor of Minerva. All classes of citizens on this particular day marched in procession. The oldest went first, then the young men, then the children, the young women, the matrons and the people of the lower orders. The most prominent object in the parade was a ship propelled by hidden machinery and bearing at its masthead the sacred banner of the goddess.

OLD TIME PUNISHMENT.

Agony of a Day In the Stocks For Fit of Bad Temper.

A record on file in the library of congress contains an account of the adventures of a certain Hubbard, who was sentenced in Boston to the stocks for having indulged in an unwarrantable fit of ill temper, says Harper's Weekly. When he had taken his seat for the day there came along a drove of swine, which seemed to cast upon him those leering looks that only a fat pig can bestow. A dog followed, sniffing at the prisoner's feet and making feints—unpleasantly approaching reality—of biting him. Then a cock, mounting to the very top of the stocks, crowded his derision upon the victim below, and presently a rough fellow, after indulging in ugly taunts, threw at him field tondstools and a dead snake.

Then an Indian appeared, who in a drunken rage, stimulated by some fancied injury, rushed at Hubbard with a tomahawk, probably intending nothing worse, however, than to give him a severe fright, which he certainly succeeded in doing.

Help came from an unexpected quarter, for at that moment an old bull came tearing down the road. His attention was attracted by the stocks, and with a roar he prepared for a charge.

Alarmed in his turn, the savage dashed off. The bull made a dash at the stocks and carried away the corner post, but without even grazing the object of his apparent wrath. Whether he was disgusted by the little he had accomplished or his animosity was thus satisfied, he started off, bellowing and shaking his head, much to the relief of the said Hubbard.

And then the unfortunate man was left in comparative peace to his own meditations and the cutting sleet of a November day.

A COURSE OF DINNERS.

It Includes Roasted Peas as a Substitute For Coffee.

In a little book called "The Economical Housekeeper," published about the year 1840, there is given on one page "A Course of Dinners For a Week." At the time of its publication the little book was most popular, as is proved by the author's preface to the second revised edition. She says:

"Encouraged by the very favorable reception that our humble labors have met in the rapid sale of the first edition of 1,500 copies in about fifteen weeks, and the demand still continuing, we have improved the time by endeavoring to make the present edition more worthy of patronage, if possible than the first."

Therefore it is probable that the "course of dinners" which follows was considered admirable at that time:

"Monday—Tea, coffee or cocoa, with mincemeat, bread and butter in winter, bread and milk in summer.

"Tuesday—Boiled dish, with apple dumplings.

"Wednesday—Roasted or baked meat, with bread pudding.

"Thursday—Broiled steak or fresh fish, with baked rice pudding.

"Friday—Baked beans, with baked India pudding.

"Saturday—Salt codfish boiled, with apple pie.

"Sunday—Morning, hashed fish and coffee; noon, bread and butter, cheese pie, doughnuts."

It is a suggestive paragraph which appears on the same page:

"Peas, roasted and ground, are an excellent substitute for coffee, and you would hardly know which is best."—Youth's Companion.

Value of the Kangaroo's Tail.

So important is the kangaroo's tail in his rapid progress that experienced hunters with guns are accustomed to fire at the point where this appendage joins the body, when the tail being disabled for its office of balancing, the animal is as effectually stopped as if hamstrung.

Hit elsewhere, except with a rifle bullet or at point blank range, the kangaroo is pretty likely to get off. One peculiarity of the kangaroo is that, after being started up, he very rarely swerves from his course, through which peculiarity he is easily "potted" by hunters, who conceal themselves by a man on horseback drives the herd toward them.

Insect Wonders.

Nothing can exceed the perfection of the minutest parts of the insect organization in general. The finest strand in a spider's web, which can scarcely be seen, is said to be composed of no less than 4,000 threads.

On a single wing of a butterfly have been found 100,000 scales and on that of a silkworm moth 400,000, each of these minute scales being a marvel of beauty and completeness in itself. So thin are the wings of many insects that 50,000 placed over each other would only be a quarter of an inch thick, and yet, thin as they are, each is double.

Puzzled Tommy.

"Pa," said Tommy, "my Sunday school teacher says if I'm good I'll go to heaven."

"Well, what about it?" said his pa.

"Well, you said if I was good I'd go to the circus. Now, I want to know who's fibbing you or her."—Lippincott's.

The Similarity.

"Lucky at cards, unlucky at love," quoted the wise guy.

"Well, either is simply a case of holding hands," said the simple mug—Philadelphia Record.

To encourage talent is to create it—Lessing.

AN IMPPOSTOR'S TRICK.

The Cheerful Liar That Made a Fool of the Grand Monarch.

Louis XIV. was taken in once in a most humiliating way and by an impostor whose only art was lying. In 1667, just after he had returned from one of his most dazzling military successes against the Dutch, Louis le Grand received word that an embassy from Persia had just landed at Marseilles en route to the French court to bring salutations and presents from the shah. Pleased that his fame should actually have run around the world, he sent word that all the towns on the way from Marseilles to Paris should fete the ambassador.

As a result the journey to Paris was a march of triumph. Children sang and flowers were strewn along the way. Arrived at Paris, several regiments of the Swiss guard met the shah's representative and escorted him to a magnificent suit in the old palace of the Tuilleries. Louis sent no less a person than the Due de Richelieu to welcome the potentate and invite him out to Versailles to a special reception in the hall of mirrors.

The ambassador presented himself as Riza Bey of the Persian court and after showing his credentials advanced to kiss the hand of Louis le Grand and give him the shah's congratulations on his recent victories.

A caravan of presents from his imperial sovereign were on their way and would arrive in Paris in a few days, said the ambassador.

Festivals followed at Versailles. The bey received magnificent presents from Louis and royal entertainment. He lounged gracefully on divans at the French court and smoked in Persian languor. He gave the grand monarque a few fragments of opal and turquoise, saying that they came from a Persian district bordering on the Caspian sea. The woods there were full of them, he explained, and he offered to divide with France—had planted the French flag there already, as it were!

At last the day came for the formal presentation of the shah's gifts, and on that morning early Riza Bey melted into space. He was never seen or heard of again. He had, as some one said, "gone glimmering through the dream of things that were." The gems that he had left were worth, if anything, about 15 cents apiece, being glass.—New York Tribune.

THE JURY DISAGREED.

A Fine Point In Equity That Never Was Decided.

An old time story of the fine points of law and equity which arose in carrying out an amicable contract is told in the Philadelphia Record. There were four brothers who had inherited a storage warehouse from their father. He had divided the property equally among them.

Among the appurtenances was a cat—a fine animal, excellent for mousing. This, too, was divided, the eldest brother owning the right front quarter, the second brother the left front quarter, and the younger brothers the two hind quarters.

Now, unfortunately, the cat in one of its nocturnal prowls injured the right front paw, and the eldest brother attended to that portion of his property by binding the injured member with a greased rag.

The cat, thankful for this relief to its sufferings, went to sleep contentedly before the fire, but in the midst of its slumbers a fanning coal ignited the rag, and the animal, howling with agony dashed through the warehouse and, coming in contact with some combustibles, set the building on fire.

When the loss came to be figured out the three younger brothers wished to throw it all upon the eldest on the ground that had he not tied up his part of the cat with the inflammable rag the building would not have been destroyed.

He, on the contrary, contended that the cat only been possessed of the front right paw—his property—it would have stood still and burned to death. It was the three other paws that caused the damage.

The brothers argued the case until they died, but they never reached an agreement.

What Should She Say?

"I wish a little wife, you can't imagine how lonesome I am when I am separated from you. You are the best little woman in the world, so different from Dragg's nagging and scolding wife. You know that a man must get ahead in the world and be free to give his business his full attention. My little girl isn't of the suspicious, doubtful kind, is she? Why, dearest, this very night I ought to go down to the club. Brown of Brown, Kalibbo & Co., is in town. They're among our best customers. Ought to know him socially, hadn't I? But unless you insist, my little sweetheart wife, I won't go. It may mean a loss to the firm, but I'll stay with my precious."

Well, now, what can a woman do?—Chicago Journal.

Unpleasant to Have Around.

"Are you still engaged to Mr. Briggs?"

"No. I broke it off last week. I was afraid to marry him. He knows too much. I gave him some ribbon to match. He found it in the first store he went to, and he bought it for 2 cents below the regular price."

The Barrier.

"Bloobs—No; I shall never marry a man hater. In fact, you seem very fond of the fair sex. Bloobs—Yes, and I talk in my sleep.—Examiner."

Lenity is a part of Mercy, but she must not speak too loud for fear of waking Justice.—Joubert.

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